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For : TREATMENT OF PRESBYOPIA
AND OTHER EYE DISORDERS
USING A SCANNING LASER
SYSTEM

Group Art Unit : 3739

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.173(b)ANDSTATEMENT OF STATUS OF CLAIMS AND SUPPORT FOR CLAIM CHANGES UNDER
37 C.F.R. §1.173(c)

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified broadening reissue application, the Applicant respectfully requests entry of the included amendments to the claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper. As required by 37 C.F.R. §1.173, deletions are indicated on the attached claims by bracketing ([deleted text]) and addition are indicated by underlining (new text).

Comments and remarks follow the amendments to the claims and begin on page 6 of this paper.